

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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United States of America and States of the United States,  
*Ex rel.* Patrick Donohue,

Plaintiffs,

- against -

**20-CV-5396 (GHW) (SDA)**

**NOTICE AND  
STIPULATION OF  
VOLUNTARY DISMISSAL**

**RICHARD CARRANZA**, in his official capacity as  
the former Chancellor of New York City Department of  
Education, *et al.*,

Defendants.  
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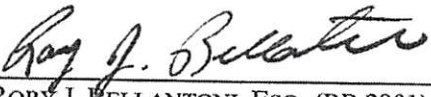
**IT IS HEREBY STIPULATED AND AGREED** by the undersigned, Counsel for  
**PLAINTIFF-RELATOR PATRICK DONOHUE** and Counsel for **DEFENDANTS, DR.  
STEPHANIE ELIZALDE** sued herein as **STEPHANIE S. ELIZADE**, and **AUSTIN  
INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT** sued herein as **AUSTIN INDEPENDENT PUBLIC  
SCHOOL DISTRICT**, that pursuant to Rule 41 (a) (1) (A) (ii) of the Federal Rules of Civil  
Procedure the above-captioned action is dismissed as to **DEFENDANTS AUSTIN  
INDEPENDENT PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT, and STEPHANIE S. ELIZADE**, in her  
**official capacity as Superintendent**, without prejudice and without costs or fees to any party.

Neither **AUSTIN INDEPENDENT PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT**, nor **STEPHANIE S.  
ELIZADE**, in her official capacity as Superintendent, have served an answer in this case.


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